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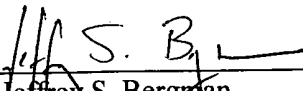
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APPENDIX A



Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/837,131

Patent No. 6,520,341

Applicant(s): Roger Suter; Gary E. Fout

Title: SCREEN TENSIONING DEVICE AND
METHOD FOR A VIBRATING SCREEN
SEPARATOR

Issued: February 18, 2003

Filed: April 18, 2001

Attorney Docket No: 05542/059001

2. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 60/429,726

Patent No.

Applicant(s): Robert F. Schlemmer

Title: MEMBRANE FORMING IN-SITU
POLYMERIZATION FOR WATER BASED
DRILLING FLUIDS

Issued:

Filed: November 15, 2002

Attorney Docket No: 05542/060001

3. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 10/644,573

Patent No.

Applicant(s): Robert F. Schlemmer

Title: MEMBRANE FORMING IN-SITU
POLYMERIZATION FOR WATER BASED
DRILLING FLUID

Issued:

Filed: September 17, 2003

Attorney Docket No: 05542/060002

4. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/013,454

Patent No. 5,990,050

Applicant(s): Arvind D. Patel

Title: WATER SOLUBLE INVERT EMULSIONS

Issued: November 23, 1999

Filed: January 26, 1998

Attorney Docket No: 05542/061001

5. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/757,570

Patent No. 6,405,809

Applicant(s): Arvind D. Patel; Reginald J. Bell; Burhan Hoxha;
Steve Young

Title: CONDUCTIVE MEDIUM FOR OPENHOLD
LOGGING AND LOGGING WHILE
DRILLING

Issued: June 18, 2002

Filed: January 10, 2001

Attorney Docket No: 05542/061002

6. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/329,544

Patent No. 6,371,207

Applicant(s): J. Scott Reynolds

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLACING
DRILLING FLUIDS WITH COMPLETION AND
WORKOVER FLUIDS, AND FOR CLEANING
TUBULAR MEMBERS

Issued: April 16, 2002

Filed: June 10, 1999

Attorney Docket No: 05542/063001

7. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/328,843

Patent No. 6,263,967

Applicant(s): Elizabeth W. Morris; Jonathan M. Davison

Title: WELL COMPLETION CLEAN-UP FLUIDS AND
METHOD FOR CLEANING-UP DRILLING AND
COMPLETION FILTERCAKES

Issued: July 24, 2001

Filed: June 9, 1999

Attorney Docket No: 05542/064001

8. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/896,867

Patent No.

Applicant(s): Elizabeth W. Morris; Jonathan M. Davison

Title: WELL COMPLETION CLEAN-UP FLUIDS AND
METHOD FOR CLEANING-UP DRILLING AND
COMPLETION FILTERCAKES

Issued:

Filed: June 29, 2001

Attorney Docket No: 05542/064002

9. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 09/762,035

Patent No. 6,710,019

Applicant(s): Christopher Alan Sawdon; David Antony Ballard

Title: WELLBORE FLUID

Issued: March 23, 2004

Filed: January 31, 2001

Attorney Docket No: 05542/065001

10. Patent Application/Serial

No.: 10/019,122

Patent No.

Applicant(s): Fabien J. Brand; Andrew Bradbury

Title: WATER BASED WELLBORE FLUIDS

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Filed: December 19, 2001

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